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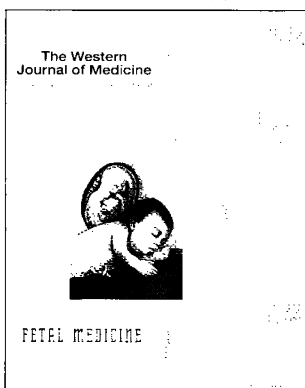
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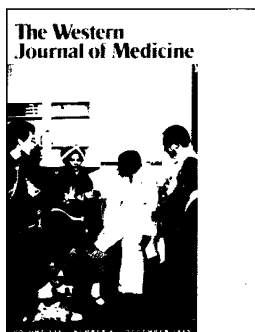
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October 21-22—**Parkinson's Disease and Movement Disorders for the Practitioner.** Mayo Clinic-Scottsdale at Ritz-Carlton Hotel, Phoenix. Fri-Sat. Contact: Tamara Zelinski, Mayo Clinic-Scottsdale.

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December 2-4—**Diagnosis and Management of Respiratory Diseases.** Medical Education Resources at Hyatt Regency, Scottsdale. Fri-Sun. Contact: Karen DeBont, (800) 421-3756.

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July 24-28—**Current Concepts in Cardiology.** UCD at Hyatt Lake Tahoe, Incline Village, Nevada. Sun-Thurs. 19 hrs. Contact: UCD.

August 4-6—**Critical Care Cardiology.** American College of Cardiology at Sheraton Palace Hotel, San Francisco. Thurs-Sat. 17 hrs. Contact: ACC, 9111 Old Georgetown Rd, Bethesda, MD 20814-1699. (800) 257-4739.

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October 27-30—**East Visits West: Coronary Interventions 1994.** Scripps Clinic and Research Foundation at Sheraton Grande Torrey Pines Hotel, La Jolla. Thurs-Sun. Contact: Scripps Clinic, 10666 N Torrey Pines Rd, 403C, La Jolla 92037. (619) 554-8556.

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- December 4-9—**15th Annual Conference: Current Concepts in Emergency Care**. American College of Emergency Physicians at Maui International Resort, Hawaii. Sun-Fri. 20 hrs. Contact: Kailani World Travel, 4192 Meridian Ave, Box 9751, Bellingham, WA 98227. (800) 544-9269 or (206) 671-1800.
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- August 19-21—**Office Gynecology for the Primary Care Physician**. San Diego State University at Hyatt Islandia, San Diego. Fri-Sun. 20 hrs. \$450. Contact: Jacqueline Shiller, PO Box 84296, San Diego 92138. (619) 223-2997.
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- 1994—**HIV Primary Care Mini-Residency**. UCSD at Owen Clinic, San Diego. Ongoing. 30 hrs. Contact: UCSD.

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- October 7-8—**Coming of Age: Geriatrics for the Primary Care Provider—Part II**. UCD at Sacramento Inn. Fri-Sat. 13 hrs. \$235. Contact: UCD.
- November 7-9—**Geriatrics Update: 1994**. Sharp Memorial Hospital at Loew's Coronado Bay Resort, San Diego. Mon-Wed. 20 hrs. \$425. Contact: Jacqueline Shiller, PO Box 84296, San Diego 92138. (619) 223-2997.
- 1994—**Mini-residency in Geriatrics**. UCSD at Multi Purpose Facility, San Diego. Ongoing. 40-80 hrs. \$195. Contact: UCSD.
- 1994—**The GGG/Alzheimer's Family Center: Sharing the Caring—Training Series on Dementia**. UCSD. Ongoing. 4 hrs. \$25. Contact: UCSD.

INFECTIOUS DISEASE

- November 4-6—**Advances in Infectious Disease**. Sharp Memorial Hospital at Loew's Coronado Bay Resort, San Diego. Fri-Sun. 20 hrs. \$425. Contact: Jacqueline Shiller, PO Box 84296, San Diego 92138. (619) 223-2997.

INTERNAL MEDICINE

- August 14-19—**11th Annual New Advances in Internal Medicine**. UCD at Hyatt Monterey. Sun-Fri. Contact: UCD.
- August 26-September 1—**Comprehensive Nephrology Review Course**. UCLA School of Medicine at Beverly Hilton Hotel, Beverly Hills. Fri-Thurs. 51 hrs. \$895. Contact: UCLA.
- September 17-19—**1994 International Symposium on Bone Marrow Transplantation**. Sutter Community Hospital at Fairmont Hotel, San Francisco. Sat-Mon. Contact: Sutter Community, 2800 L St, Sacramento 95816. (800) 777-0231.
- October 1—**Focus on Venous Access: Hemodialysis, Pheresos, Chemofusion**. UCSD at Le Meridien Hotel, Newport Beach. Sat. 8 hrs. \$125. Contact: UCSD.
- October 22—**Diabetes**. Sutter Community Hospitals at Sacramento. Sat. Contact: Peggy Coit, 2800 L St, 6th Fl, Sacramento 95816. (800) 777-0231.

OB/GYN

- October 1—**Coloscopy**. Sutter Community Hospitals at Sacramento. Sat. Contact: Lynne MacRae, 2800 L St, 6th Fl, Sacramento 95816. (800) 777-0231.
- October 1-2—**6th Annual Ultrasound Update: 1994**. UCD at Red Lion Inn, Sacramento. Sat-Sun. 10 hrs. \$240. Contact: UCD.
- October 8—**Women's Health**. Sutter Community Hospitals at Stockton. Sat. Contact: Catherine Davis, 2800 L St, 6th Fl, Sacramento 95816. (800) 777-0231.
- December 1-3—**Obstetrics and Gynecology Conference**. University of Nebraska Medical Center at Bally's, Las Vegas, Nevada. Thurs-Sat. \$275. Contact: UNMC, 600 S 42nd St, Omaha, NE 68198-5651. (800) 642-1095 or (402) 559-4152.

OCCUPATIONAL/ENVIRONMENTAL

- July 25-29—**8th Annual Sports Medicine**. UCSD at San Diego Princess Resort. Mon-Fri. 20 hrs. \$395. Contact: UCSD.

KEY TO ABBREVIATIONS

- CMA: California Medical Association
Contact: Continuing Medical Education, California Medical Association, PO Box 7690, San Francisco 94120-7690. (415) 541-0900.
- CPMC: California Pacific Medical Center
Contact: Continuing Education, California Pacific Medical Center, PO Box 7999, San Francisco 94120. (415) 923-3441.
- DREW: Charles R. Drew Postgraduate Medical School
Contact: Herbert M. Thomas, MD, MPH, Director of CME, Office of Continuing Education, Charles R. Drew Postgraduate Medical School, 1621 East 120th St, Los Angeles 90059. (213) 603-3183.
- LLU: Loma Linda University
Contact: Patty Wright, Manager of CME Programs, (909) 824-4963.
- STAN: Stanford University
Contact: Edward Rubenstein, MD, Associate Dean for Postgraduate Education, Medical School Office Building, Suite X-365, Stanford 94305-6114. (415) 723-5594.
- UCD: University of California, Davis
Contact: Ruth Feryok, Director, Office of Continuing Medical Education, University of California, Davis, School of Medicine, 2701 Stockton Blvd, Sacramento 95817. (916) 734-5390.
- UCI: University of California, Irvine
Contact: Melvin I. Marks, MD, Director, Memorial/UCI Center for Health Education, Long Beach Memorial Medical Center, 2801 Atlantic Ave, PO Box 1428, Long Beach, California 90801-1428. (213) 595-3811.
- UCLA: University of California, Los Angeles Extension
Contact: Martin D. Shickman, MD, Director, Continuing Education in Medicine and the Health Sciences, PO Box 24902, UCLA, Los Angeles 90024. (310) 825-8423.
- UCSD: University of California, San Diego
Contact: Office of Continuing Medical Education, University of California, San Diego, School of Medicine (M-017), La Jolla 92093. (619) 534-3940.
- UCSF: University of California, San Francisco
Contact: Janet Johnson, Administrative Director, Extended Programs in Medical Education, School of Medicine, University of California, San Francisco 94143. (415) 476-4251.
- USC: University of Southern California
Contact: Phil R. Manning, MD, Associate Dean, Postgraduate Division, University of Southern California School of Medicine, 1975 Zonal Ave, KAM314, Los Angeles 90033. (800) 872-1119.

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September 22-25—**Emerging Issues in Occupational and Environmental Health.** American College of Occupational and Environmental Medicine and the Western Occupational and Environmental Medical Association at Stouffer Stanford Court Hotel, San Francisco. Thurs-Sun. Contact: WOEMA, 50 First St, Ste 300, San Francisco 94105. (415) 764-4803.

ONCOLOGY

July 19-22—**Pan Pacific Lymphoma Conference.** University of Nebraska Medical Center at Ritz-Carlton-Mauna Lani, Kohala Coast, Hawaii. Tues-Fri. Contact: UNMC, 600 S 42nd St, Omaha, NE 68198-5651. (402) 559-4152.

September 25-27—**State of Breast Cancer 1994: An Interactive Symposium.** UCSF at Sheraton Palace Hotel, San Francisco. Sun-Tues. 20 hrs. \$350. Contact: UCSF.

October 6-8—**18th Annual Physicians Cancer Symposium.** Scripps Memorial Hospital at Stevens Cancer Center, San Diego. Thurs-Sat. 16.5 hrs. \$390. Contact: Cancer Symposium, 2603 Main St, Ste 690, Irvine 92714. (800) 321-6338.

ORTHOPEDICS

July 15-16—**Hand Review 1994.** UCD at Holiday Inn, Capitol Plaza, Sacramento. Fri-Sat. \$275. Contact: UCD.

July 23-30—**Update in Orthopaedics '94.** Kaiser Permanente Medical Center, South San Francisco at Hyatt Regency, Maui, Hawaii. Sat-Sat. 18 hrs. \$425. Contact: Jerry VanMeter, MD, 1200 El Camino Real, So San Francisco 94080. (415) 742-2461.

August 13-17—**58th Annual Meeting Western Orthopedic Association at Long Beach.** Sat-Wed. 18 hrs. Contact: H. J. Martin, (510) 671-2164.

1994—**Educational Program for Musculoskeletal Evaluation and Rehabilitation.** UCSD at La Jolla. 35.5 hrs. \$500. Contact: UCSD.

OTOLARYNGOLOGY

September 11-16—October 9-14—**Temporal Bone Dissection Course.** House Ear Institute. Sun-Fri. 53 hrs. \$875-\$1,100. Contact: Antonio De la Cruz, 2100 W Third St, Los Angeles 90057. (213) 483-4431 ext. 7079.

November 3-5—**Otolaryngology Update: 1994.** UCSF at Ritz-Carlton, San Francisco. Thurs-Sat. 17 hrs. \$425. Contact: UCSF.

PATHOLOGY

August 13-20—**15th Annual Comprehensive Fine Needle Biopsy Course.** UCSF at Ritz-Carlton Mauni Lani, Big Island of Hawaii. Sat-Sat. 27 hrs. \$950. Contact: UCSF.

August 24-27—**Centennial Conference on Coccidioidomycosis.** Stanford University at University Campus. Wed-Sat. Contact: Complete Conference Management, 1660 Hotel Circle North, #220, San Diego 92108. (619) 299-6673.

September 17—**34th Annual Scientific Symposium on Kidney Disease.** National Kidney Foundation of Southern California at La Jolla Marriott. Sat. Contact: National Kidney Foundation, 5777 W. Century Blvd, Ste 395, Los Angeles 90045-7404. (310) 641-8152.

September 17-21—**9th Combined Skin Pathology Course and 5th Annual Workshop in Dermatopathology.** Scripps Clinic and Research Foundation at Sheraton Grande Torrey Pines Hotel, La Jolla. Sat-Wed. 40 hrs. Contact: Scripps Clinic, 10666 N Torrey Pines Rd, La Jolla 92037. (619) 554-8556.

PEDIATRICS

July 15-17—**2nd Annual Pediatric Update.** Stanford University School of Medicine at Lucile Packard Children's Hospital, Palo Alto. Fri-Sun. Contact: Elinor Meyer, Medical Outreach Dept, 725 Welch Rd, Palo Alto 94304. (415) 497-8554.

August 22-24—**Pediatrics Update 1994.** San Diego State University at Hyatt Islandia, San Diego. Mon-Wed. 20 hrs. \$450. Contact: Jacqueline Shiller, PO Box 84296, San Diego 92138. (619) 223-2997.

October 1—**Therapy for Childhood Neuromuscular Diseases.** Children's Hospital and Health Center at Hyatt Regency, San Diego. Sat. 6.5 hrs. \$75. Contact: CAM, 3030 Children's Way, San Diego 92123. (619) 576-5819.

October 22—**Pediatrics.** Sutter Community Hospitals at Auburn. Sat. Contact: Lynne MacRae, 2800 L St, 6th Fl, Sacramento 95816. (800) 777-0231.

October 29—**Ambulatory Pediatrics.** UCD at Cancer Center Auditorium, Sacramento. Sat. 7 hrs. \$95. Contact: UCD.

December 1-4—**Society of ENT Advances in Children.** UCD at Radisson Hotel, Sacramento. Thurs-Sun. 10 hrs. Contact: UCD.

December 3—**13th Annual Binational Pediatric Conference.** Children's Hospital San Diego and American Academy of Pediatrics at Mercy Hospital Educational Center, San Diego. Sat. \$45. Contact: Children's Hospital, 3020 Children's Way, San Diego 92123. (619) 576-4072.

PHYSICAL MEDICINE/REHABILITATION

August 11-13—**2nd Annual Clinical Exercise, Physiology and Cardiac Rehabilitation Conference.** American College of Cardiology at Holiday Inn, Palo Alto. Thurs-Sat. 21 hrs. Contact: ACC, 9111 Old Georgetown Rd, Bethesda, MD 20814-1699. (800) 257-4739.

October 8-12—**56th Annual Assembly, American Academy of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation** at Anaheim Hilton Hotel and Towers and Anaheim Convention Center. Sun-Wed. Contact: AAPMR, 122 S Michigan Ave, Ste 1300, Chicago, IL 60603-6107. (312) 922-9366.

PSYCHIATRY

September 30-October 4—**Power of the Art: Introduction to Medical Hypnosis and Other Practical Wisdoms.** UCSD at Sheridan Grande, San Diego. Fri-Tues. 26 hrs. \$550. Contact: UCSD.

October 7-11—**The Power of the Art: Introduction to Medical Hypnosis and Other Practical Wisdoms.** UCSD at Colonial Inn, La Jolla. Fri-Tues. 26 hrs. Contact: UCSD.

October 14-15—**Psychopharmacology Clinical Research Update.** UCD at Hilton Hotel, San Francisco. Fri-Sat. 14 hrs. \$395. Contact: UCD.

1994—**Basic Clinical Hypnosis Training.** UCSD at La Jolla. Ongoing. 30 hrs. \$245. Contact: UCSD.

PULMONARY MEDICINE

August 12-14—**Diagnosis and Management of Respiratory Diseases.** American College of Emergency Physicians at Hyatt Regency, Lake Tahoe, Nevada. Fri-Sun. 12 hrs. Contact: Karen DeBont, 1500 W Canal Ct, Ste 500, Littleton, CO 80120-4528. (800) 421-3756.

September 23-25—**Diagnosis and Management of Respiratory Diseases.** American College of Emergency Physicians at Esmeralda Resort, Palm Springs. Fri-Sun. 12 hrs. Contact: Karen DeBont, 1500 W Canal Ct, Ste 500, Littleton, CO 80120-4528. (800) 421-3756.

October 13-15—**Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine.** UCSF at Ana Hotel, San Francisco. Thurs-Sat. Contact: UCSF.

RADIOLOGY

August 25-28—**Physics of Diagnostic Radiology.** UCD on Campus. Thurs-Sun. Contact: UCD.

September 8-10—**Trauma and Emergency Radiology.** UCSF at Ritz-Carlton, San Francisco. Thurs-Sat. 16 hrs. \$395. Contact: UCSF.

September 29-October 1—**Interventional Hepatobiliary Radiology.** UCSF at Fairmont Hotel, San Francisco. Thurs-Sat. 18 hrs. \$550. Contact: UCSF.

October 2—**Oncologic Imaging Update.** UCSF at Fairmont Hotel, San Francisco. Sun. 6.5 hrs. \$150. Contact: UCSF.

October 3-7—**Clinical Magnetic Resonance Imaging.** UCSF at Fairmont Hotel, San Francisco. Mon-Fri. 33 hrs. \$595. Contact: UCSF.

October 7-8—**Vascular Ultrasound: State of the Art.** UCSF at Fairmont Hotel, San Francisco. Fri-Sat. 13.5 hrs. \$295. Contact: UCSF.

October 10-14—**Neuroimaging Visiting Fellowship Program.** Stanford School of Medicine. Mon-Fri. 40 hrs. Contact: Barbara Platt, (415) 723-4733.

October 10-16—**Advanced Imaging of the Musculoskeletal System With Emphasis on MRI.** UCSD at Hotel del Coronado, San Diego. Mon-Sun. Contact: UCSD.

October 17-19—**Radiology for the Non-Radiologist.** UCSD at Hyatt Regency, La Jolla. Mon-Wed. 20 hrs. \$450. Contact: UCSD.

October 17-21—**19th Annual San Diego Postgraduate Radiology Course.** UCSD at Hotel del Coronado, San Diego. Mon-Fri. Contact: UCSD.

October 21-23—**14th Annual Interventional Radiology Course.** UCSD at Hotel del Coronado, San Diego. Fri-Sun. Contact: UCSD.

October 31—November 4—**Diagnostic Radiology Seminars.** UCSF at Ritz-Carlton Kapalua, Maui, Hawaii. Mon-Fri. 26 hrs. \$595. Contact: UCSF.

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Aug 94	Nantucket, MA 19-21	Lake Louise, Canada 5-7	Lake Tahoe, NV 12-14	Lake George, NY 19-21
Sept. 94	Key West, FL 30-10/2	Las Vegas, NV 23-24	Palm Springs, CA 23-25	Bermuda 29-10/1
Oct. 94	Las Vegas, NV 7-9	Scottsdale, AZ 28-30	Orlando, FL 7-9	Cabo San Lucas, Mex. 20-22
Nov. 94	Orlando, FL 18-20	Anaheim, CA 18-20	St. John, USVI 17-19	Naples, FL 4-6
Dec. 94	Grand Cayman Isl. 1-3	Key West, FL 2-4	Scottsdale, AZ 2-4	Las Vegas, NV 9-11
Feb. 95	Scottsdale, AZ 24-26	Breckenridge, CO 19-21	Las Vegas, NV 3-5	Key West, FL 17-19
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November 14-18—**A Practical Approach to Breast Imaging.** UCSF at Ritz-Carlton, Rancho Mirage. Mon-Fri. 20 hrs. \$595. Contact: UCSF.

1994—**Fellowship in Interventional Radiology for Radiologists.** UCSD Medical Center. Ongoing. 40 hrs. \$700. Contact: UCSD.

1994—**Visiting Fellowship in Magnetic Resonance Imaging.** UCSD at MR Institute, San Diego. Ongoing. 40 hrs. \$1,200. Contact: UCSD.

1994—**Visiting Fellowship for Physicians and Sonographers in Duplex Ultrasound: Focus on Carotid and Deep Venous Thrombosis.** Ongoing. 30 hrs. \$600. Contact: UCSD.

1994—**Visiting Fellowship Program of Endovaginal Sonography: Focus on Techniques and Application.** UCSD Medical Center. Monthly. 30 hrs. \$600. Contact: UCSD.

SURGERY

September 9-13—**Summer Institute—Intensive Surgical Skills.** American Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons at Monterey Conference Center, Marriott Hotel and Doubletree Hotel, Monterey. Fri-Tues. Contact: AAOS, 6300 N River Rd, Rosemont, IL 60018-4262. (708) 823-7186.

October 29—**Suture Workshop.** Sutter Community Hospitals at Sacramento. Sat. Contact: Catherine Davis, 2800 L St. 6th Fl, Sacramento 95816. (800) 777-0231.

GENERAL/MULTIDISCIPLINARY

October 27-30—**1994 CME/Golf Meeting.** Nevada Academy of Family Physicians at Sheraton Desert Inn Hotel & Casino, Las Vegas. Thurs-Sun. 21 hrs. Contact: Barbara Bolling, NAFF, PO Box 27713, Las Vegas, NV 89126-1713. (702) 647-0117.

HOME STUDY/SELF ASSESSMENT

Audio-Digest Foundation. California Medical Association. Contact: Audio-Digest Foundation, 1577 E Chevy Chase, Glendale 91206. (213) 245-8505.

COLORADO

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Brochures, course information, and registration forms are available from the contact person or organization.

July 25-29—**21st Annual Renal Disease Program: Renal Disease and Electrolyte Disorders.** University of Colorado Health Sciences Center at The Given Biomedical Institute, Aspen. Mon-Fri. Contact: U of Colo.

July 31-August 3—**Third Biannual Type 1 Diabetes Program: Management of Pediatric Diabetes.** University of Colorado Health Sciences Center at Keystone. Sun-Wed. Contact: U of Colo.

July 31-August 3—**Cardiovascular Interventions: Technology at the Summit, IV.** University of Colorado Health Sciences Center at Aspen. Sun-Wed. Contact: U of Colo.

August 1-5—**Dynamic Psychotherapy Program.** University of Colorado Health Sciences Center at Aspen. Mon-Fri. Contact: U of Colo.

August 7-11—**37th Annual Pediatric Program.** Children's Hospital and University of Colorado Health Sciences Center at The Given Biomedical Institute, Aspen. Sun-Thurs. Contact: U of Colo.

August 7-12—**19th Annual Primary Musculoskeletal Care Program.** University of Colorado Health Sciences Center at Breckenridge. Sun-Fri. Contact: U of Colo.

August 8-12—**12th Annual Pediatric Infectious Disease Conference.** Children's Hospital at Aspen. Mon-Fri. Contact: Kim Brenckle, Children's Hospital, 1056 E 19th Ave, Box 055, Denver. (303) 861-6981.

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August 11-13—**Pediatric Cardiology: The Failing Heart.** University of Colorado School of Medicine at The Given Biomedical Institute, Aspen. Wed-Sat. Contact: U of Colo.

August 11-14—**Fourth Annual Conference: Women Physicians/Finding a Balance.** Rose Medical Center at Breckenridge Hilton Hotel. Thurs-Sun. Contact: Women Physicians Conference, 9101 E Kenyon Ave, #3000, Denver 80237. (303) 770-2220; FAX (303) 770-1812.

August 11-14—**Multimodality Approaches to Limb Salvage for Extremity Sarcoma.** P/SL Swedish Healthcare System at Westin Resort, Vail. Thurs-Sun. Contact: P/SL CME Office, (800) 633-6824.

August 14-17—**Fourth National Kaiser Permanente Emergency Medicine Conference.** Colorado Medical Society and Colorado Permanente Medical Group at Beavercreek. Contact: KPME 94, PO Box 7131, Corte Madera, CA 94976-7131. (415) 927-7450.

August 15-20—**Breast Imaging and Intervention Into the 21st Century.** Radiology Imaging Associates at Broadmoor Hotel, Colorado Springs. Sun-Fri. Contact: Ryals & Associates, (404) 641-9773.

August 17-19—**Genetic Therapy.** University of Colorado Health Sciences Center at Aspen. Wed-Sat. Contact: U of Colo.

August 17-20—**4th Annual Musculoskeletal Infection Meeting.** University of Colorado Health Sciences Center at Snowmass Village. Wed-Sun. Contact: U of Colo.

September 16-18—**Sixth National Conference on Outreach Education: The Changing Colors of Outreach Education.** University of Colorado Health Sciences Center at Tamarron Resort, Durango. Fri-Sun. Contact: U of Colo.

September 16-18—**Third Annual Medical Ethics Conference.** University of Colorado Health Sciences Center at Aspen. Fri-Sun. Contact: U of Colo.

September 30—**Rocky Mountain Regional Cardiovascular Disease Conference.** University of Colorado Health Sciences Center at Vail. Fri. Contact: U of Colo.

Tuesday Noon Conferences—**Various Topics in Medicine.** Lutheran Medical Center, Wheat Ridge. Contact: Jean A. Kline, (303) 425-2951.

First Wednesday of Each Month—**Various Topics in Neurology.** Sponsored by the Colorado Society of Clinical Neurologists. Contact: Colorado Society of Neurologists, (303) 449-3566.

Every Second Wednesday of the Month—**Cardiovascular Education Series.** St Anthony Hospitals at St Anthony Hospital, Denver. Contact: Rose Powell, (303) 629-3678.

Every Friday (except 4th Friday of month)—**Various Topics in Contemporary Medicine (Midday CME Series).** St Anthony Hospitals at St Anthony Hospital, Denver. Contact: Rose Powell, (303) 629-3678.

CONTACT INFORMATION

U of Colo—Contact: University of Colorado Health Sciences Center, School of Medicine, Office of Continuing Medical Education, 4200 E 9th Ave, Denver 80262. (303) 372-9050 or (800) 882-9153; FAX (303) 270-6761.

IDAHO

July 28-30—**Idaho Medical Association—Annual Meeting.** Sun Valley. Wed-Fri. Contact: IMA, 305 W. Jefferson, PO Box 2668, Boise 83701. (208) 344-7888.

NEW MEXICO

Information, requests for accreditation, and items to be listed should be sent to the chair of the CME Committee, New Mexico Medical Society, 7770 Jefferson, Suite 400, Albuquerque, NM 87109, at least two months in advance. For information on CME accreditation or on the CME requirements of the New Mexico Board of Medical Examiners, please write to the above address or call (505) 828-0237.

NOTE: Course information in the following listing is subject to change on occasion. Check with the sponsoring institution for current details.

July 18-22—**Imaging 1994.** Eldorado Hotel, Santa Fe. Mon-Fri. Contact: Dawne Ryals, Ryals & Associates, PO Box 1925, Roswell, GA 30077-1925. (404) 641-9773.

July 22-24—**Arrhythmias, Diagnosis and Treatment.** Eldorado Hotel, Santa Fe. Fri-Sun. Contact: Tracy L. Green, New Mexico Heart Clinic, (505) 841-1000.

August 7-11—**Lovelace Santa Fe Neurology 1994.** Eldorado Hotel, Santa Fe. Contact: Ryals & Associates, PO Box 1925, Roswell, GA 30077-1925. (404) 641-9773.

September 16-17—**Annual Meeting—American College of Surgeons, New Mexico Chapter.** Hotel de Santa Fe, Santa Fe. Contact: Bonnie Smith, 7770 Jefferson NE, Ste 400, Albuquerque 87109. (505) 828-0237.

September 17—**Management of Patient with Cardiac Disease.** Journal Center, Albuquerque. Sat. Contact: Tracy L. Green, New Mexico Heart Clinic, (505) 841-1000.

October 5-9—**3rd Annual New Mexico Medical Computer Course.** Holiday Inn Pyramid Hotel, Albuquerque. Contact: Floyd Smith, NMOMA, PO Box 90396, Albuquerque 87199-0396. (505) 828-1905.

October 8-9—**What Is New With the Newborn?** New Mexico Pediatric Society at Snakedance, Taos Ski Valley. Contact: Richard Rolston, MD, (505) 898-7898.

October 28-29—**ECG Interpretation for the Primary Care Physician.** Journal Center, Albuquerque. Fri-Sun. Contact: Tracy L. Green, New Mexico Heart Clinic, (505) 841-1000.

CONTACT INFORMATION

UNM SOM—University of New Mexico School of Medicine, Office of CME, PO Box 713, Albuquerque 87131. (505) 277-3942.

UTAH

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NOTE: Course information in the following listing is subject to change on occasion. Check with the sponsoring institution.

September 21-24—**Utah Medical Association—Annual Meeting.** University Park Hotel, Salt Lake City. Wed-Sat. Contact: Utah Medical Association.

MEDICAL GRAND ROUNDS

Weekly—Internal Medicine Grand Rounds, Psychiatry Grand Rounds, OB/GYN Grand Rounds, Pediatric Grand Rounds. Contact: UUSM, Office of CME, (801) 581-8664.

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SPONSORS OF COURSES—ABBREVIATIONS

CH:	Castleview Hospital, 300 N Hospital Dr, Price 84501. (801) 637-4800.
DM:	Dixie Medical Center, 544 S 400 East, St George 84770. (801) 634-4000.
ETS:	Emergency Training Services, 777 N 390 East, American Fork 84003. (801) 763-3555.
FHP:	FHP of Utah, 35 W Broadway, Salt Lake City 84101. (801) 355-1234.
ITS:	Intermountain Thoracic Society, 1616 S 11th East, Salt Lake City 84105. (801) 484-4456.
LDSH:	LDS Hospital, 8th Ave and "C" St, Salt Lake City 84143. (801) 321-1100.
LRH:	Logan Regional Hospital, 1400 N 5th East, Logan 84321. (801) 752-2050.
MDH:	McKay-Dee Hospital Center, 3939 Harrison Blvd, Ogden 84409. (801) 625-2694.
MVH:	Mountain View Hospital, 1000 E Highway 6, Payson 84651. (801) 465-9201.
OSS:	Ogden Surgical-Medical Society, PO Box 9311, Ogden 84409.
PCMC:	Primary Children's Medical Center, 100 N Medical Dr, Salt Lake City 84113. (801) 588-2000.
PVH:	Pioneer Valley Hospital, 3460 S 4155 West, West Valley City 84120. (801) 968-9061.
UANS:	Utah Association of Neurological Surgeons, 24 South 1100 East, Suite 302, Salt Lake City 84102. (801) 531-7806.
UMIA:	Utah Medical Insurance Association, 540 E 500 South, Salt Lake City 84102. (801) 531-0375.
UOS:	Utah Ophthalmological Society, 540 E 500 South, Salt Lake City 84102. (801) 355-7477.
USH:	Utah State Hospital, PO Box 270, Provo 84603-0270. (801) 373-4400.
UUSM:	University of Utah School of Medicine, Office of Continuing Medical Education, 50 N Medical Dr, Salt Lake City 84132. (801) 581-8664.
VAMC:	Veterans Administration Medical Center, 500 Foothill Dr, Salt Lake City 84148. (801) 582-1565.

WASHINGTON

The listing of continuing medical education programs in Washington state is compiled by the Washington State Medical Association. To list Category 1 programs here, please send information at least two months in advance to Continuing Medical Education, Washington State Medical Association, 2033 Sixth Avenue, Suite 1100, Seattle, WA 98121; or phone (206) 441-9762 or (800) 552-0612.

Brochures and registration forms are available from the contact person or organization listed at the end of each course or in the list of course sponsors and contact information.

July 29-30—**From Bench to Bedside: A State of the Art HIV Conference for Primary Care Providers.** Seattle. Fri-Sat. Contact: U/W.

July 29-30—**Orthopaedic Trauma Update.** Seattle. Fri-Sat. Contact: U/W.

August 4-6—**Breast Cancer in Young Women.** Seattle. Thurs-Sat. Contact: U/W.

August 8-13—**Summer Seminar in Health Care Ethics.** Seattle. Mon-Sat. Contact: U/W.

September 9—**Interventional Radiology.** Seattle. Fri. Contact: U/W.

September 9-11—**Radiation Health Effects and Hanford: A Joint Conference for Concerned Citizens and Health Care Providers.** Spokane. Fri-Sun. Contact: U/W.

September 10-11—**Pediatric Advanced Life Support.** Seattle. Sat-Sun. Contact: Children's, (206) 368-4802.

September 11-16—**North Pacific Pediatric Society—149th Meeting.** Blaine. Sun-Fri. Contact: Norma Brooks, (206) 248-2229.

September 19-23—**Annual Advances in Family Practice.** Seattle. Mon-Fri. Contact: U/W.

September 29-30—**New Approaches to Common Urinary Tract Problems in Children.** Seattle. Thurs-Fri. Contact: Children's, (206) 526-2501.

October 15—**Arthrocentesis & Injection Techniques.** Seattle. Sat. Contact: U/W.

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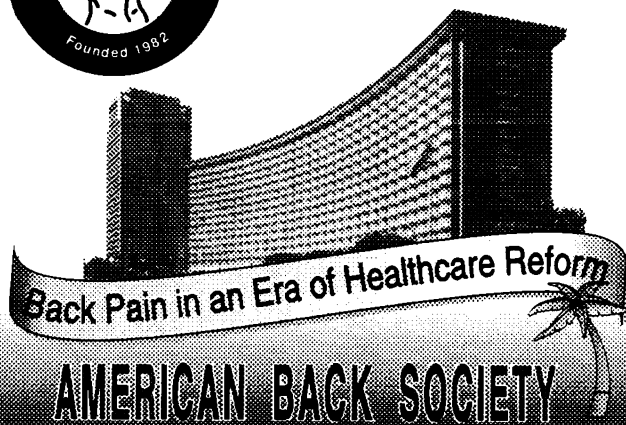
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Previous Donner Party Research

TO THE EDITOR: The conclusions concerning Donner Party mortality presented by S. A. McCurdy in this journal¹ merely restate those that I presented in an article published in a major anthropological journal four years ago.² My article went uncited by McCurdy even though the results of my work have been discussed by such authors as Shipman³ and Diamond⁴ in widely distributed sources and were restated in my recent book on the history of the Great Basin.⁵

Even a passing effort by McCurdy to discover previous work in this area would have revealed my paper as well as those by Shipman and Diamond. For instance, it took me less than a minute to find the Grayson and Diamond references by searching under "Donner Party" in the Online Computer Library Center (OCLC) catalogue. It is unfortunate that McCurdy made no effort to discover whether he was merely repeating the work of others and that he gave no credit to those who came before him. As a result, he gave the impression of producing novel results when, in fact, he had not. It is equally unfortunate that THE WESTERN JOURNAL OF MEDICINE did not choose reviewers who might be expected to be familiar with research in this area.

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Dr McCurdy Responds

TO THE EDITOR: I appreciate the opportunity to acknowledge Dr Grayson's previous work¹ regarding the Donner Party, and I regret not having learned of it in time to cite it in my recently published article.² In preparing the manuscript, I read historical texts on the episode and conducted a MEDLINE search of the biomedical database back to 1966. Unfortunately, the anthropological research journal in which Grayson published was not indexed in

this database. Nor were the secondary sources he mentions. In the year preceding its publication, I shared drafts of the manuscript and discussed the work with colleagues and interested persons, presented it at the national American Public Health Association meeting, and finally submitted it for formal peer review. None of this brought his article to my attention. When I learned of his work shortly before release of my article, I called out of courtesy to let him know that it would be forthcoming and that I was sorry not to have known of his work in time to cite him.

Grayson and I both examined demographic characteristics of the Donner Party and their influence on mortality, but salient differences in approach, methods, and findings exist between our studies. He showed that persons dying were more likely than survivors to be old or very young, male, and to have smaller kin groups. This descriptive approach did not allow a quantitative comparison of these factors for their relative importance or effect on mortality.

My work is new in bringing an analytic and epidemiologic focus on quantitative assessment of risk factors. Multivariate regression techniques yielded relative risks for mortality that were adjusted for known cofactors, allowing comparison with respect to the strength of their independent effects. For example, the analysis shows in quantitative terms the preponderant effect of age (relative risk of 6.6 for those younger than 6 years and a relative risk of 8.4 for those 35 years of age or older). The comparatively weaker effects of male sex and traveling without other family members (each with a relative risk of 2.0) are also shown. Our findings also differ with respect to the effect of family size on survival. No independent effect of family size per se is evident after restricting analysis to persons traveling with at least one other family member. In keeping with the epidemiologic focus, I also noted possible implications for medical responses to starvation disasters. Age and sex identify high-risk groups and are immutable factors. In contrast, family networks may be affected by response efforts, which could influence survival rates.

I hope readers of the journal will find this epidemiologic analysis useful and interesting despite the unintentional omission in not crediting Grayson's previous work.

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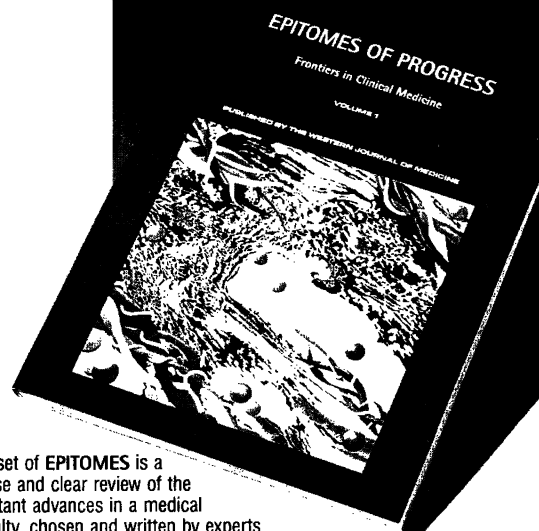
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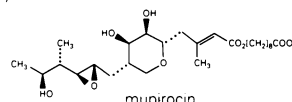
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